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Applicant hereby petitions for a 1-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed November 6, 2002. A check for the extension fee in the amount of \$110.00 is attached. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed simultaneously herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

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